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SUBJECT: ALVIN AILEY DANCE THEATRE PRIVATE TOUR

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- 1. PAUL SZILARD, AGENT FOR AILEY'S OVERSEAS TOURS, RECENTLY VISITED CU/ARTS TO ADVISE THAT COMPANY HAS BEEN INVITED AND HOPES TO ACCEPT VISIT TO JAPAN JUNE 12 TO 26, 1977 INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL. FYI FROM EXPERIENCE SIMILAR OFFERS JAPANESE SPONSOR USUALLY REQUESTS REIMBURSEMENT OF SOME SHARE OF INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL SO TRAVEL MAY NOT BE COMPLETELY COVERED. END FYI.
- 2. ALSO DURING RECENT NYC BACKSTAGE VISIT FROM MRS. MARCOS, WIFE OF PHILIPPINES PRESIDENT, LATTER INDICATED SHE WOULD PROVIDE MAJOR ASSISTANCE IN GETTING COMPANY TO PHILIPPINES WHICH COULD HELP DEFRAY TOTAL INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL COSTS.
- 3. COMPANY AVAILABLE UNTIL AVIGNON FESTIVAL LAST WEEK JULY. TOTAL TOURING NUMBER IS 38 AND USUAL U.S. FEE IS DOLS. 47,500 WEEKLY, INCLUDING INTERNAL TRAVEL. SZILARD HAS BEEN ADVISED DEPT HAS NO RPT NO FUNDS FOR TOUR THIS

YEAR AND HE SHOULD SUBMIT LOWER BUDGET WHICH WE HAPPY TO PASS TO POSTS IN EVENT LOCAL SPONSORS CAN BE FOUND TO PRESENT COMPANY.

4. ADVISE IF THERE IS LOCAL SPONSOR INTEREST. WILL KEEP POST INFORMED OF DATES AND FEES. ROBINSON

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